

**Salina Tree Advisory Board
Regular Meeting
November 27, 2006
Lakewood Discovery Center**

Members Present: Lloyd Davidson, John Wachholz, Hazel Tilton, Beth Eisenbraun, and Gerrett Morris.

The minutes were approved as written.

The forestry report included a tree planting update on trees being spaded out of the nursery. Around 120 trees will be transplanted this fall.

Steve also reported that the Legacy Tree Fund was very active this year with \$3900 coming in. A total of 26 trees were planted and the rest of the funding went for bronze plaques.

There was no old business.

The new business discussed the Cost Share Program with about 70 trees being planted by this program this year. Steve will continue to put out door hangers in new housing divisions. Steve will also try to get a article in the next issue of the Salina Citizen.

The recommended tree list was also reviewed and there were a few minor changes such as the removal of the Ash from the list. Several of the \$50 cost share trees were also changed. Next years \$50 cost share trees will be:

Sawtooth, Chinkapin, Bur, Shumard, and Skymaster English Oaks,
Caddo Sugar Maple, Serviceberry, Lacebark Elm, and Hybrid Elm.

Steve will also be submitting a Tree City USA application soon. This award must be applied for every year. The four criteria for this award are:

1. Spend at least \$2:00 per capita of urban forestry
2. Celebrate Arbor Day
3. Have a working tree advisory board in place
4. Have a tree ordinance in place